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UTU-070693

November 12, 2003

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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

KEN NIELSON
NIELSON MINING
3900 REDWING ST
WVC UT 84119

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DIV OF OIL GAS & MINING

Dear Mr. Nielson:

On December 18, 2002, we received a request from you to extend your notice UTU-070693. Your request did not include a reclamation cost estimate. We would calculate an estimate for your review; however, we're not sure of the extent of your operation since it appears to have been inactive for the past 2-3 years. Right now the extent of your reclamation liability appears to be cleaning up the pipe and other debris associated with the ponds, and to recontour the ponds themselves.

Within 30 days of receipt of this letter, please submit a reclamation cost estimate that at least reflects your current reclamation liabilities. If you have decided to reactivate the operation next spring, you should include the cost of reclaiming any future disturbance also. We will review that estimate, and if we find it acceptable we will issue a decision giving you 60 days to submit it to the Utah State Office of the BLM.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Sheri Wysong at (435) 743-3124.

Sincerely,

Rex Rowley
Field Office Manager

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